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CLUTCH FOR PROVIDING LOW)
AND REVERSE GEAR RATIOS)
IN A TRANSMISSION)

**RESPONSE TO
DECISION ON PETITION**

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the "Decision on Petition" dated July 7, 2004 in connection with the above-captioned patent application. Enclosed herewith is a Supplemental Declaration as well as the \$130.00 surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(f).

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